## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA BILLINGS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

CR 18-123-BLG-SPW-1

Plaintiff,

VS.

FORFEITURE VERDICT AND ORDER

NICHOLAS JOHN MONTANO,

Defendant.

The Criminal Forfeiture, 21 USC §§853(a)(1) and (2), having been tried to the Court:

The Court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that the property described as a sum of money equal to \$4,720.00 in United States currency was **NOT** property constituting or derived from any proceeds the defendant obtained, either directly or indirectly, as a result of the offenses set out in the indictment.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the sum of \$3,920.00 be returned to the defendant, Nicolas John Montano. The remaining \$800.00 shall be returned to Trystan White or as otherwise provided by law.

DATED this day of May, 2021.

ŚUSAN P. WATTERS U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE